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MINOR MENTION.

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The registration books will be opened on

Saturday, February 28. Mrs. S. L. Evans entertained the Good Templars last evening at her home.

John Wilch, who has been dangerously ill with ulceration of the lungs, is improving. The Ancient Order of Hibernians will give their annual ball in Masonic temple on the evening of March 17.

Unity Guild will meet in regular session Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. F. A. Flichter, Lincoln avenue. The regular meeting of Harmony chapter,

No. 25, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held this evening in Masonic ball. The members of Unity Guild will hold a Lenten service this evering at 7:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Runyan on Park ave-

A case of scarlet fever was reported yes terday at the corner of Seventh street and Sixteenth avenue, Andrew Johnson being the The young ladies of the second Presbyter-

fan church will give an entertainment Friday evening, the programme for which will appear later. A case of the measles was reported to the city yesterday at 827 Sixth avenue. This makes nineteen cases reported since the first

makes ninetee of the month. The funeral of J. C. Chenoewith, who died suddenly in Omaba Tuesday, will occur this morning at 9 o'clock from the residence of Jesse Sawyer, 2317 Avenue C.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Autone Bloom died Tuesday night and was buried yesterday afternoon, the funeral being held at the residence on Frank street. Rev. G. W. Crofts has received an order

for his book of poems, "Golden-rod," from Scotland. Rev. Crofts is much pleased at this indication of the popularity of his book The case of Eighmy vs the Milwaukee railroad was completed in district court yester the attorneys, which will be made this morn

All interested in the temperance work are invited to attend the Woman's Christian Temperance union tea at Mrs. Bixby's, 326

William Cadwallader died of consumption

Tuesday night at his residence in Hardin township, aged twenty-one years. His re-mains will be taken to Malvern today for The fifth annual session of the Southwest

Iowa Press club will be held at Creston on Thursday and Friday of next week. A grand banquet on the evening of Friday will be one Lulu May, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fonda, died last evening

after an illness of only nine hours at the family residence, 1506 Ninth avenue. Notice of the funeral will be given later. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Eugene Harris and Martha McFarland, both

of this city, Christian Pauisen and Lena Gregerson, both of this county, and to Scott T. Graham and Nellie L. Clayton, also of this The funeral of Nellie Berry, the five-year old stepdaughter of W. H. Woods, who is em

ployed in the Northwestern shops, took plac yesterday afternoon, Rev. C. H. Boh officiating. The services were held at the The case of the Western Home Insurance company vs J. M. Palmer for \$225 worth of premiums which had been allowed to go un-

paid, was completed in superior court yester-day morning. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant, Rev. T. J. Mackay is confined to his home by iliness. Until his recovery the Lenten services in St. Park's church will be in charge of Rev. C. H. Bohn of All Saints'

mission and the meetings which were to have been held in the latter will be discontinued for the present. The ladies who are interested in the wel-

fare of St. Bernard's hospital held a meeting Wednesday afternoon to make arrangements for a fair to be held Easter Monday for the benefit of the hospital. Mrs. J. C. Lange was appointed president, Mrs. Theodore Bray vice president and Mrs. S. T. McAteetreas A lodge of the Order of the World has

been organized with a membership of about fifty. At its first meeting the following officers were elected and installed, after the initiations had been duly gone through with R. C. Hubbard, past president; W. H. Knepher, president; C. H. Warren, vice president; Bert Sheely, guard; H.W. Binder, secretary; A. C. Lane, marshal; E. H. Sheafe, chapiain; F. H. Warrer, treasurer; T. T. Snow, sentinel; Dr. M. Bellinger and Mrs. Dr. S. M. Snyder, physicians. Mrs. Dr. S. M. Snyder, physicians.

W. J. Davenport, the newly appointed division freight and passenger agent of the Burlington road, will arrive in the Bluffs today and will begin the active discharge of his duties tomorrow. There will be but few changes made in the running of the office Major M. M. Marshall, the present general agent, has handed in his resignation to take agent, has handed in his resignation to that effect March 1. It has not yet been accepted be dispensed with after this Mr. Davenport will put in one clerk the present force, but beyond that there will be no change.

A case was on trial in Justice Patton's court yesterday in which Mrs. Van Kirk is seeking to get possession of a lot of her clothing, which, she claims, is wrongfully held by her foster mother, Mrs. John Gegan. Mrs. Van Kirk was married only a short time ago, and the prospective match between her and her present. her present husband was opposed by Mrs. Gegan with all her might. Now that the youthful couple have been united, Mrs Gegan wants to bring about a separation, and with this end in view kept her daughter's clothing and refuses to give it up. A con-tinuance was granted yesterday until next

Recollect that the only installment house in Council Bluffs and the largest installment house in the west is Mandel & Klein's. We sell at eastern prices every article of house-bold furniture you use, and instead of re-quiring you to pay cash we let you have it on easy payments. There is no necessity of denying yourself the use of any article when you can get everything you want on such easy terms. The largest stock of carpets, stoves and furniture in the city to select from. 320

J. C. Bixby, steam neating, sanitary en gineer, 203 Merriam block, Council Blufts

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

William Maloney is in Osceola. Attorney James McCabe is in Sidney. J. C. Bixby is in Glenwood on business. Mrs. W. H. Mullen has gone to St. Louis

for a visit of two weeks. Major M. M. Marshall has returned from a few days' visit in Des Moines. J. H. Kuhl of Harlan, the county treasurer

of Shelby county, was in the city yesterday D. W. Chapman left last evening for Burling ton, to attend the state convention of the Young Men's Christian association. He will be away until Saturday.

Stop and Think,

And ask yourself why you should pay old-And ask yourself why you should pay old-fashioned prices for groceries and provisions when you can get first class, clean, fresh goeds at modern prices! Read these prices: Crackers, per lb, 5c; 3 lbs gingersnaps for 25c; Arbuckle's coffee, 25c per package; German coffee, 25c; hams, 6c per lb; bacon, 7c; codfish, 75c; 10 lb pail white fish, 60c; 3 cans corn, 25c; 3 cans tomatoes, 25c; 4 cans peas, 25c; Davis' No. 10 flour, \$1.35; Buffalo flour, \$1.25; Gold Medai flour, \$1.35; Buffalo Flake flour, \$1.25; Bob buckweat, \$1.00; 25 lbs buckweat, \$1.00; 25 Plake flour, \$1.00; 25 lbs buckwent, \$1.00; 25 boxes of matches, 25c; box good laundry soap, \$1.00; 3 lbs leaf lard, 25c; good broom, 10c; oranges, 15c per dozen; coal oil, 8c a gal-lon; 2 loaves oread, 5c; 1 lb good tea, 25c. Prompt delivery of goods.

Brown's C. O. D. grocery. Telephone 29.

prompt attention.

THE NEWS IN THE BLUFFS.

William Allen, the Missing Man, Turns Up with a Serene Smile.

METHODIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION. Colonel Who Thought the War was Not Over-The Day Set for Hearing Injunction Cases

A great deal of anxiety among the friends of William Allen, who have been searching for him for the past few days, was relieved yesterday morning by the appearance of the

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gentleman himself. William has been working for J. F. Wilcox and on Saturday last he went into the woods to cut wood. Several hours later his coat and axe were found beside his untasted diuner. When night came and no tidings had been received from him the belief became fixed that he had in some manner been made the victim of foul play. Under this impression searching parties were organized and a large portion of the country has been scoured in search of the missing man. The hunt was still being prosecuted yesterday morning when Allen was seen walking past the home of his employer, a few miles east of the city. When stopped and called upon for an explanation Allen could give none, only saying that he had no recollection of anything that transpired since leaving the house to go to work on Saturday morning until he found himself in Weston, ten miles east of Council Bluffs esterday morning. It was simply a case of emporary mental aberration. He can give no account of his wanderings, only saying that he spent the greater part of the time in Weston. He is deeply grieved that he Weston. He is deeply grieved that he caused his friends so much anxiety.

NOT UNDER BONDS.

The Boston Store, Council Bluffs. Wants No Protection Against Omaha Competition.

Being one of the many firms in Council Biuffs alluded to by the proprietors of an Omaha store as desiring protection against competition, we desire to repell the uncalled for and utterly groundless intimation that Council Bluffs merchants have anything to fear from any kind of straight, honorable business competition, whether it comes from Omaha, Chicago or any other place. We are not the party whom Hayden Bros. referred to in their remarkable statement, and who answered the thrust in such a spirited man ner yesterday morning, which was read with interest by all the readers of the daily papers, but we desire to speak in our own behalf.

This being a free country, we don't care who or how many Omaha merchants peddie

their goods in Council Bluffs. We can compete with any Omaha merchant in our lines, as the majority of our fellow merchants can and do every day in all other lines. We have our regular Omaha patrons daily, who, knowing they can save from 10 to 20 per cent at our store on the same class of goods sold by Omaha merchants, embrace the opportunity

of coming to the Boston store in Council Bluffs and making the bulk of their purchases. All the electric street cars pass our doors, and the ride from Omaha is a pleasant as well as profitable recreation In the near future we contemplate opening a branch of our store in Omaha, where our trans-Missouri customers can get goods at the same prices as obtained in the Biuffs. We think such a branch store would be a great success, as in many lines of our goods we would be able to get better prices than we can in Council Bluffs.

We want to say a word or two about the Marshal Field & Co. chestout. If this wholesale house, that makes a business of buying up bankrupt stocks and antiquated lines, really put the Omaha gentlemes under \$25,000 bonds not to sell any of the Eiseman stock in Council Bluffs, we want it distinctly under stood that it was not done for our benefit. The Boston Store requires no protection from that source. Be buy the bulk of our goods from the manufacturer direct, getting them at the same prices that Marshall Field & Co. are obliged to pay, and we give our customers the saving of a middleman's profit. If the Chicago house magnanimously volunteered to protect some Council Bluffs house by putting a big Omaha firm under such distressing obigations their victims deserve more thy than the public will perhaps be likely to extend. Readers of our daily papers can readily see that we are not the party referred

FOTHERINGHAM, WHITELAW & CO. The Boston Store, Council Bluffs.

Chamber sets, Lund Bres.

The new dental rooms of Drs. Woodbury are the finest and most complete in the west. Next to the new Grand. "Telephone, 145,"

Special—"I say, have you tried the tea, Land Bros., 23 Main street! It is just excel-

He Wanted the Road.

J. Edmundson and Thomas Heft, two farmers residing south of the city, appeared in Justice Patton's court yesterday morning and wanted a warrant issued for the arrest of "Colonel" W. H. Beck on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. They stated that they were coming to the city on the Manawa road, and when they were a short distance from the lake they met Beck and another in a buggy, going in an oppo-firection. They claimed that Beck was site direction. They claimed that Beck was just drunk enough to be quarrelsome, and a dispute arose as to who had the right to the dispute arose as to who had the right to the road. Some words arose between them, and finally when they attempted to pass his right he pulled a revolver from his pocket and threatened to shoot them full of holes. At the sight of the gun they decided to let the "colonel" have his way and contented them selves with having the information sworn out. Constable Austin was given the warrant to be served, but he was unable to find Beck

Evans Laundry Co., 520 Pearl street. Telephone 200. Goods called for and delivered.

NO BANKRUPT STOCK.

The Council Bluffs Carpet Company Has None of the Eiseman Stock, and Never Advertised It.

In justice to ourselves and all other Coun-

al Bluffs merchants, we desire to correct a nisleading statement published in all of the daily papers yesterday concerning the Eiseman bankrupt stock of merchandise. A prominent Omaha merchant rushes into print with the startling assertion that we are advertising the Eiseman stock of carpets, rugs, curtains, shades and draperies with the intention of misleading the public. This is a strange sort of an error for an intelligent man to fall into. We cheerfully assist in making the correction he desires so much to have made, i. e., to have the pub lic understand we did not get any of the Eiseman stock. We make the statement broadly and without qualification that we did not buy a dollar's worth of the Eiseman bankrupt stock, or any other bankrupt stuff and carry no second hand goods of We buy all our goods direct from the manufacturer, the latest styles, fresh from the looms. The only thing we did in the ad-vertisement complained of was to contrast

some of our regular, every day-in-the-year all round prices with the "marked up" Holden figures. When their prices were "cut in two" our regular prices were still 10 to 15 per cent lower than the "bankrupt bargains." If Mr. Holden marked up the Eiseman prices for the purpose of "making a big cut," it was not our fault. It is positively cruel to put Omaha merchants under bonds not to compete with Council Bluffs prices, and Marshall Field &

Co. ought to be asnamed of it. We are not under any bends to protect anybody except the obligations put upon a first class house to protect the public against overcharges and to do a straight legitimate business. We are the largest exclusive carpet house in the west and we will undertake not only to com-pete, but to do a good deal better than to duplicate Omaha prices on any and everything in our line. Our trade covers the territory 100 miles in every direction from Council Biuffs and Omaha, and we will save you money on every purchase made and guar-antee satisfaction. Mail orders receive

CNCIL BLUFFS CARPET CO. 407 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

A Glance Through the Finest Sample Room, Billiard Parlor and Cigar Stand in the West.

On next Saturday evening "The Columon next Saturday evening 'The Columbia,' the dinest sample room, dilliard parlor and cigar stand in the west, in the fitting up of which Geo. Rudio has spent a mint of money, will be opened to the public. It is located at No. 28 Pearl street, next to the new Grand hotel. The work of remoding the building has been going on for the past two months, and the handsome edifice has been transformed into a palace and it will be noted for handsome edifice has been transformed into a palace, and it will be noted far and wide as the finest place of the kind west of Chicago. Mr. Radio has had the chief responsibility of fitting up the palace, and his sponsibility of fitting up the wide experience as a commercial traveler has

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eminently qualified him for the work.

A short description of the interior of the A short description of the interior of the establishment will not prove uninteresting. The room has been separated by massive and handsomely carved oak partitions into three divisions, the first of which contains the office of the proprietor and the finest eigar stand west of Chicago. The second division will be the sample room, and the third will be the billiard parlor. Mr. Rudio's office is a model of beauty and reatness. is a model of beauty and neatness. A hand-some bronze wire partition makes it suffi-ciently exclusive without obstructing the A fine Brussels carpet and the beauti-bronzed safe, office desk and comfortable easy chairs give it a particularly cozy and inviting appearance. Here Mr. Rudio will receive and entertain his friends in his most agreeable and affable style. In perfect keeping with the elaborate style of the office will be the cigar stand on the opposite side of the room, which will be presided over by Messrs, Julius Unger and Reuben Brown, two of the most popular young men in the city. The cases, counter, etc., are of oak, hand carved, and no mere description of the beauty of the work can give a correct idea of it. To be thoroughly appreciated it must be seen. The sample room in its furnishings completely eclipse anything ever seen in this city. The massive oak bar, the fine French plate glass mirrors and the beautiful paintings combine

to form a picture most pleasing to the eye.

Another thing in connection with this fine
work which is of public importance is the fact
that all of the woodwork is the product of J. A. Murphy's factory in this city, and is a credit to Council Bluffs artists. Mr. George Shirley of Chicago will be in charge of this de-partment and the public will find him a most agreeable gentleman, thoroughly accomplished in his line. For the amusement of the public Mr. Radio, with an originality that does credit to one of the brightest men that ever packed a grip, has put in a new and improved phonograph which will play some of the finest messes of (illustrate based and of the finest pieces of Gilmore's band, and will sing the latest songs, including "Annie Rooney," "Johnnie, Get Your Hotchkiss,"

Rooney," "Johnnie, Get Your House and the "Sweet Bye and Bye,"

Last but not least, not by a good deal, comes the billiard room. The decorations and furnishings are like those of the other two departments, strictly elegant. There are two billiard tables and a pool table, all new and as fine as Brunswick-Collender & Co. can turn out. Mr. James Anderson has control of this department, a fact that will add not a little to its popularity. Everybody knows Jim Anderson, and to say that he is a general favorite, is only expressing it

Taken all in all, the Columbia is a decided success, and will no doubt be a winner from the start. Every dollar's worth of material used in fitting it up was purchased and wrought in Council Bluffs. The place is one in which citizens can take a pardonable pride and to which they can take visiting friends

at any time with pleasure.

The place will be opened for the benefit of the public, and it would be something more the public, and it would be something more than a bould. than a simple outrage if fanaticism should assail it. It has been fitted up in deference to a popular desire for a first-class place of rest for gentlemen, and is another indication that the time has come when fanaticism should cease. There are few men who have done more for the city in a general way than Mr. Rudio. He has been one of the most popular commercial travelers among the army who live in this city. He earnestly hopes the public will appreciate his efforts and give him a fair show.

Sheriff O'Connor of Palmyra, Marion county, Missouri, was in the city last evening for the purpose of taking charge of a prisoner who he had been notified was now in confinement in the city jall. The prisoner referred to was arrested a week ago last Tuesday by Officer Crafts and Deputy Marshal Fowler, and is now serving a ten days' term on the streets on the charge of vagrancy. A ay or two ago Marshal Templ a card from Sheriff O'Connor offering a reward of \$50 for a man who had broken jail at Palmyra on January 20 while under indictment of the offenses of burglary and larceny. The man in confinement, who gave his name as William Hagan, answered the description of the man who was wanted, and O'Connor was accordingly telegraphed to come on and get his man. When he arrived and took a look at the prisoner he found tha he was not the one he wanted and left for Missouri again last evening. He was some-what disappointed to find that he had been to the trouble and expense of a fruitless trip. He stated that the man he is after is a desperate character, and a smooth one as well, having escaped the clutches of two other officers beside himself. He was there-fore very anxious to get hold of him again. The officers who made the arrest were fully as disappointed as O'Connor, for the \$50 that they had hoped to see the color of by this time is still in the pockets of the Mis

Pure fresh drugs at Davis', opposite Ogden Best heavy goods, 25 per cent off, cash. Reiter, the tailor, 310 Broadway.

Call on Schurz-Smith Co. for chattel loans and real estate. 26 Pearl st.

Buy your cost and wood of C. B. Fuel Co., 539 Broadway. Telephone 136. Is It the Alliance?

Attorney Seabrook has had next Saturday set as the day upon which the defendants in his liquor injunction suits shall appear before Judge Tuornell to say why temporary injunctions shall not be issued against their places. In consection with this announcement it may not be out of place to state that a certain shrewd lawyer tainks he has solved the question of who is Lacking up Mr. Seabrook in his warfare against saloons. It is well known that the state temperance alli ance, with headquarters at Des Moines. has been engaged in some work of this kind in various parts of the state, notably at Carroll and Fort Dodge. A few days ago a report was started from a source that stood very near the throne, to the effect that Sioux City and Council Bluffs were to be the next camping ground for the anti-saloonists. The work has already been commenced in Sioux City, but unless the present warfare is backed up by the alliance the prediction is ss yet unfilled as far as Council Bluffs is concerned. Mr. Seabrook has been very wary about letting the public know who is with him, and the present solution of the mystery is looked upon by the above named attorney as the one most likely to be the correct one.

Tea sets, Lund Bros. Call on D. J. Hutchinson & Co. for choice bargains in lots in Wilson Terrace. Special inducements for the next few days.

The Manhattan, sporting headquarters. N.

Charged with Lurceny. Hall Frampton was arrested yesterday mercing on an information charging him with larceny, filed in Justice Hammer's court. Frampton had signed a mortgage on a lot of household furniture, in favor of Ovide Vien. Vien had an idea that he was about to leave the city and take the mortgaged property with him, so he swore out the informat for his arrest with the result above stated. Frampton was unable to give bail, and was sent to the county jail until this afternoon at 2 o'clock, when his trial will take place. The value of the property in question is alleged

Missionary Convention.

The Methodists opened a missionary campaign last evening in the Trinity Methodist church, which is to last until tomorrow evening. The programme last evening was opened by a song service, after which short ad- write

dresses were made by visiting delegates as follows: "Popular Objections to Missions," by Rev. Jason Gallup, of Thurman; "Christianity Missionary in Spirit," by Rev. C. W. Brewer of the Fifth avenue Methodist church of this city; "The Achievements of the Contary," by Rev. T. McKay Stewart, of the Broadway Methodist church. All these speeches were very interesting, and were listened to by a large andience.

This evening the convention will be con-

This evening the convention will be continued by a service at the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, at which the following programme of addresses will be given: "What is Involved in Missionary Success," by Rev. S. Alexander of the Trinity Methodist church: "Popular Objections to Missions," by Rev. L. A. Hunt: "Self-denial the True Law of Missionary Benevolence," by T. McK. Stewart.

Temerrow evening the convention will be closed by a meeting at the Masonic temple, at which addresses will be made by Bishop J. P. Newman and W. S. Hooker.

I have reoved my hardware store from 519 South Main street to 409 Broadway, and after today I will show my friends and the public one of the finest hardware stores in the city The new store is located in the building for merly occupied by Friedman for millinery

Kindergarten school, 803 Fourth avenue. Spring term opens March 2. Mrs. F. L. Sack-

Boys Wanted at American district telegraph office.

China dinner sets, Lund Bros., 23 Main

SOUTH OMAHA.

Attempted Burglary. Part of the blacksmith's tools stolen Sun

day night from Mr. Brown, the Twentyfourth street blacksmith, have been found at the B. & M. freight depot in the Fourth ward. The thieves had evidently secured the tools for the purpose of forcing their way into the depot to burglarize it. To the G. A. R. Encampment.

Robert R. Livingston post No. 284, Grand Army of the Republic, held its regular meeting Tuesday night The credentials of Post Commander Samuel W. Dennis, Delegate Capta.n Jacob W. Cress, and Alternate John W. Snively were made out and attested. The delegates left for Plattsmouth yesterday to attend the state encampment. The Alfaifa Cattle Arrive.

Andrew Hass, with his train load of about four hundred and fifty alfalfa fed cattle from Spanish Fork, Utah, arrived at the yards yesterday and caused considerable interest among commission and stock men. The animals are fine, but are said to have shrunk on the journey more than was expected.

A. O. U. W. Surprise. One of the pleasantest surprises and socials ever held by a fraternal society in the city was held by South Omaha lodge, No. 66, Ancient Order of United Workmen, Tuesday night. Music, dancing and a palatable lunch endeared the workmen to all present

Notes About the City. Christopher Hanson was buried vesterday

Captain Frank E. Hart has returned from Bloomington. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morgan of Lewis, Ia. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Carpen

James Phillips, superintendent of the motor power at the Cudahy packing company, has returned from Chicago Seven car loads of the best English tin ar rived at the Omaha custom house Tuesday for the Cudaby packing company.

Brick work has been commenced on the large new building for the Cudahy packing company immediately northwest of the office. Sixteen members of the Presbyterian En-deavor society went to Omaha Tuesday evening to attend the union meeting held in the First Methodist church. The social given by South Omaha lodge, No. 100, Independent Order of Good Temp

lars, Tuesday night was largely attended. An excellent literary and musical programme was rendered. H. F. Stephenson, bookkeeper for the Spelts, Hitchcock & Co. commission company, while loading some cattle at Stanton had his foot and ankle badly bruised by a car

wheel running on him. Miss H. May of Chicago, the accomplished sister of D. G. May, who has charge of the books and clerical force at Swift & Co.'s packing houses, is visiting her brother invalid sister-in-law, Twenty-third and H streets.

De Witt's Little Early Risers; best little pills for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bad breath.

P. E. Her's Big Deal.

P. E. Herof this city, who has been in California a greater portion of the winter, has just consummated a big deal by which he peromes the general manager of the South San Francisco land and improvement company, a corporation with a capital stock of \$2,000,000.

When Mr. Her went to California he saw a great field for investment, and interesting a number of other capitalists bought 3,400 acres of land on San Francisco bay, eight miles south of the city of San Francisco, and at once conceived the idea of establishing mammoth stockyards and pork packing houses. Already the work of constructing the packing houses is well under way, and in a short time South Son Francisco will be the pork packing city of the Pacific coast. Mr. ller, who is now superintending the work of construction, will return home the latter part of next month.

No griping, no nausea, no pam when De Witt's Little Early Risers are taken. Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill.

Pickpockets Work a Train

W. Thomas, an employe of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy at Chicago, was the victim of pickpockets last Monday while on his way from Chicago to Omaha. He was relieved of \$14, and four other gentlemen in the same car were also "frisked" for all they had. It was believed the clever scoundre had done his work before reaching Burling ton. Two very smooth looking fellows left the train at Burlington. They had made themselves very agreeable with the pas-sengers as the train sped along, but they sud-denly disappeared when the train reached

Cook's Extra Dry Imperial Champagne is naturally fermented; there is nothing in it but the juice of grapes. Try it.

Cause of Milligan's Death. Coroner Harrigan conducted a post mor tem examination last night upon the remains of Elhart Milligan, who died of asphyxiation at the Ferris hotel Monday night, and found that death was caused, as had been believed, by inhaling illuminating gas. Letters found in the pockets of the deceased show that he has relatives al Florence, Neb., and at Mary-ville, Mo. The inquest will probably not be held until Friday, as the coroner wishes to give the relatives time to learn of Milligan's death and to forward instructions as to the disposition of the body before the inquest is held.

Ferocious Duellists. BLUFFTON, Ala., Feb. 18 .- D. Good and Ford Johnston fought a duel with hatchets and a knife as a result of a drunken quarrel Both were terribly mutilated and will die. "Aver's medicines have been satisfactory

to me throughout my practice, especially Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which has been used by many of my patients, one of whom says he knows it saved his life.—F. L. Morris, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y.

FOR THE SPRINGS

Of Arkansas and All Points South. Take the Wabash, the best and quickest route. Only 38 hours to the Hot Springs, 40 to New Orleans, 52 to Jacksonviile, 63 to Tampa, with corresponding fast time to all points south. Re-clining chair and Pullman buffet sleep-

ing ears on all trains. Round trip tickets now on sale at greatly reduced rates. For tickets and full information call at the Wabash ticket office, 1502 Farnam street or write G. N. CLAYTON, Agent,

HAYDEN BROS.

Shoe Department Crowded with Bargains from the Eiseman Bankrupt Stock Tomorrow.

Ladies' grain button shoes \$1.20, Eise man's price \$1.75. Ladies glo calf button shoes \$1.35,

Eiseman's price \$2. Ladies' dongola button shoes \$1.35. Eiseman's price \$1.75. Ladies' fine dongola button shoes \$1.85. Eiseman's price \$2.50.

Ladies' hand turned shoes \$2.85, Else-

man's price \$3.50. Ladies' fine hand turned patent tip shoes \$2.90, Eiseman's price \$3.70 Ladies' fine patent vamp shoes \$2.35,

Eiseman's price \$4. In children's shoes we have some splendid bargains. Infants' French dongola shoes, sizes

2 5, at 65c; worth 75c. Children's French dongola shoes, sizes 5-8, at \$1; Eiseman's price \$1.25.

Children's heavy dongola shoes, sizes 3-8, at 45c; Eiseman's price 65c. Children's fine dongola shoes, sizes 5-8, at \$1; Eiseman's price \$1.25.

In men's shoes Eiseman' carried the best and we have some bargains never before heard of in Omaha.

Men's fine B calf congess shoes at \$1.73, Eiseman's price \$2.50. Men's fine calf Goodyear welt shoes at \$2.75, Eiseman's price, \$3.75. Men's fine kangaroo button shoes at \$3,18, Eiseman's price \$4,75.

Men's fine calf cork sole shoes at \$3.70, Eiseman's price \$5.00. Men's fine hand sewed shoes; at \$3.45. Eiseman's price \$5.50, Men's fine cordovan and kangaroo

shoes at \$3.98, Eiseman's price \$6.00, Boys' shoes \$1.25, \$1.45 and \$1.75. Bargains for all. HAYDEN BROS.,

Dry goods and shoes,

Don't Fool Yourself! Notwithstanding all rumors to the contrary, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry's new steam heated palace sleeping cars, with "electric lights in every berth," still leaves the Union depot, Omaha at 6:10 p. m. daily, arriving at Chicago at 9:30 a.m., in ample time to make all eastern connections. Ticket office, 1501 Farnam st.

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A FINANCIAL DISPUTE. It Will be One of the Features of the Irish Struggle.

LONDON, Feb. 18 .- A financial dispute be ween factions is likely to be one of the features of the coming Irish struggle. When \$40,000 was released from the league fund, a month ago, \$20,000 went to the campaign company and \$15,000 to the tenants defense league. The McCarthyites say the latter sum was too much and, furthermore, contend that instead of being devoted to the evicted tenants, it was used to meet an over draft on the Hibernian bank. T. P.
Gill declares that McCarthy must
have known when he signed the
release that the fund set aside for he tenants was heavily overdrawn. McCarthyites assert on the contrary that he left Bologne believing the money was to be devoted to the evicted tenants only. The question arises whether there was a misconception at the conference, or whether O'Brien thought he was acting within the lines of the agreement in adjusting the bank account. The McCarthyites insist on the deciaration that the fund be used for tenants. In an interview McCarthy denies the story

of a liberal subsidy of \$20,000 for his party. POLITICS AND FAMINE.

Forces from Which Ireland is Suffer-

ing at Present. DUBLIN, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. | - The Express today says that Ireland is committed to the strife of two powerful parties, a state of affairs not seen before, save in times of civil war. "The prelude to this strife," says the Express, "is Mr. Gill's letter to Mr. McCart' y. Soon fierce language will be used, and probably broken heads will follow. The contest really is between Mr. Parnell and the hierarchy, and will result in the overthrow of the hierarchy by Mr. Parnell over the years?"

nell or vice versa." Twenty-five thousand dollars, the first in stallment of the liberals' grant to the Mc-Carthyites, has been deposited in checks signed by Mr. Morley and Mr. McCarthy. Mr. Michael Davitt, who has been visiting the west coast of Ireland, reports that the in habitants of that coast are badly in need of seed. Mr. Davitt prononuces the road repairing work being done at Achill to be a mere burlesque, and adds that the children are suffering from a lack of milk.

ITALY'S NEW POLICY. Outlines of the Conservative Pro-

gramme on Political Points. ROME, Feb. 18 .- [Specisi Cablegram to THE BEE. | - Count Jacini, a senator who was colleague of Gavour and Ricasoli, in an article in the Nuova Antologia, a leading review, outlines the national conservative programme as follows: An unaggressive for eign policy, a demonstrative decentralization. the territorial question in Rome to be a mat ter of home policy, independence of the vatcan to be settled by international neutralization of any locality in which the pope may elect to dwell. The dreibund, he holds, ought not to be renewed holds, ought not to be renewed unless Italy ceases to guarantee Germany in the possession of Alsace-Lorraine, and in the event of war between Germany and France the conflict ought to localized and Austria and Italy ought to intervene only to prevent the victor from endangering the equilibrium.

The article is exciting much attention in

Another Salacious Divorce. Dublin, Feb. 18 .- [Special Cablegram to THE BEE. |-The Freeman's Journal today says that a divorce case of a most sensational character is pending. A member of the present government is concerned. forts have been made to prevent it from be-ing brought before the courts, but up to the present they have not been of any avail. I is intimated that the connections and stand

ing of the principals and the circumstances and details of suit, if brought to trial or otherwise made public, will cause as much excitement as the O'Shea divorce. Bismarck and the Emperor. LONDON, Feb. 18.-A Berlin correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette says that Bismarck s convinced that the report published as to the emperor's "injurious opinion" of himself is untrue and the intention of his (Bis-marck's) enemies. The dispatch also quotes

which prompt my political warnings doubt my patriotism." Underground Railway Accident. LONDON, Feb. 18 .- A serious accident. which may be attended by considerable loss of life, occurred this evening at the Praed street junction of the Metropolitan under ground railway.

the ex-chancellor as saying: "The emperor knows too well how to estimate the motives

This Settles It.

LONDON, Feb. 18 .- The Standard's correspondent at Berlin says Emperor William has distinctly stated he had no intention of prosecuting Prince Bismarck. Smallpox in Ireland.

to an alarming extent. The municipal authorities are doing their utmost to check the spread of the disease. El Teb Occupied. CAIRO, Feb. 18. - Egyptian troops have occupied El Tab without an engagement.

The Sinking of the Sherlock. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 18. - Beyond the loss of the two passengers already noted it is thought no others were drowned by the sinking of the steamer Sherlock last night. The accusation is made by the cabin boy that the mate and engineer on the boat were both drunk and that the crew were short. He will be held as a witness.

THE NATIONAL HYMN AS REAREN FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.



My Country: 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty, Of thee I sing : Land where our fathers

Land where our Mothers cried. Over the wash-tub tied Let freedom ring. My native country thee— Land of the noble, free-Thy name I love; love thy tucks and frills But oh: what laundry bills: My soul with horror thrills; When I think of thee. Let music swell the breeze, And blow through all the

Hall SANTA CLAUS: Let tired mortals wake And gladly try a cake, Let all for cleanness sake. Join the applause.

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THE FLOODS ABATING.

Reports from Different Parts Tell of

Great Losses. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 18.—This afternoon the Allegheny river reached 32 feet 11 inches. but since then has been slowly receding. With nearly every iron mill flooded and closed down, railroad tracks washed away, whole squares of streets flooded to the second story and thousands of cellars filled, the direct loss by the flood cannot fall below \$1,000,000. The poor living along the river have suffered so greatly that appeals for aid have been issued. The building inspectors say the flooded districts have suffered great injury in the way of damaged foundations. Tonight the river has fallen several fee The damage to the railroads is being rapidly

repaired. Reports from all up the river points show rapidly declining waters, and people returning to their homes to repair damages, which in most cases is far greater than was ex-

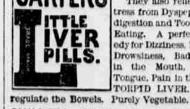
pected. At Johnstown the loss is great, the foundaions of many houses having been undermined. Street cars are running again and the mills will open tomorrow. The destruc-tion of the bridges was a serious loss, as the different sections of the city will have no communication by wagon for some time. The farming communities below are heavy losers. A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., say: the river is still rising tonight, but it is re ported from above to have begun falling The damage in Wheeling is great. The whole of Wheeling island, Seventh ward, is flooded and, tonight, most of its 4,000 inhabitants ar

sleeping in another part of the city.
In South Wheeling hundreds of workingmen's houses and several factories are inun-dated, and in the business center many whole sale houses are flooded. Business is almost entirely suspended. No trains are arriving or departing. The depots are under water and the railroad yards blockaded. Two prin cipal hotels have water on the first floor and guests are obliged to go in and out of the windows. Reports from down the river in the glass and pottery districts also show beavy losses. No loss of life, however, has yet been reported.

The Injunction Dissolved. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 18.-Last summer Federal Judges Phillips and Foster entoined

the state authorities of Kansas from prosecuting criminally persons charged with violations of the liquor law in that state. On final hearing Judge Caldwell has dissolved the injunction, holding, in part, that a court of equity has no jurisdiction to enjoin or otherwise interfere with criminal prosecutions in courts of law, and be an act of congress cause an act of congress expressly prohibits the United States courts from enjoining proceedings in state courts, except in cases of

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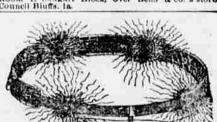
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